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Michael L. White Julie A. Mottes Brian A. Johnson John C. Philipp James M. Coleman	Name: Anchor Gaming a Nevada corporation, Address: 815 Pilot Road, Suite G City: Las Vegas State: Nevada Zip: 89119
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Sir:

TECHNOLOGY CENTER R37 A copy of an assignment of rights in the present application from the inventors to the current assignee, Anchor Gaming, is enclosed.

The undersigned has reviewed all the documents in the chain of title of the present application and, to the best of the undersigned's knowledge and belief, title is in the current assignee, Anchor Gaming.

The undersigned is authorized to act on behalf of Anchor Gaming.

Respectfully submitted,

MARSHALL GERSTEIN & BORUN

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ASSIGNMENT

FOR GOOD AND VALUABLE CONSIDERATION, the receipt, sufficiency and adequacy of which are hereby acknowledged, each undersigned ASSIGNOR does hereby:

SELL, ASSIGN AND TRANSFER to ANCHOR GAMING ("ASSIGNEE"), a corporation of the state of Nevada having a place of business at 815 Pilot Road, Suite G, Las Vegas, Nevada 89119, the entire right, title and interest for the United States and all foreign countries in and to any and all improvements which are disclosed in the Application for United States Letters Patent Serial No. 10/036,092 filed on November 9, 2001, and entitled GAMING METHODS AND APPARATUS USING-INTERCHANGEABLE SYMBOLS, such application and all divisional, continuing, substitute, renewal, reissue and all other applications for patent or the legal equivalent thereof which have been or may be filed in the United States and all foreign countries relating to any of such improvements; all original, reexamined and reissued patents which have been or shall be issued in the United States and all foreign countries on such improvements; and specifically including the right to file foreign applications under the provisions of any convention or treaty and claim priority based on such application made in the United States;

AUTHORIZE the ASSIGNEE to apply for and receive any and all United States and foreign patents relating to such improvements in its own name;

AUTHORIZE AND REQUEST the issuing authority to issue any and all United States and foreign patents granted on such improvements to and in the name of the ASSIGNEE;

WARRANT AND COVENANT that no assignment, grant, mortgage, license or other agreement or encumbrance affecting the rights and property herein conveyed has been or will be made or entered into by the undersigned, and that the full right to convey the same as herein expressed is possessed by the undersigned;

COVENANT, when requested and at the expense of the ASSIGNEE, to carry out in good faith the intent and purpose of this assignment, to execute all divisional, continuing, substitute, renewal, reissue, and all other patent applications relating to any and all such improvements; to execute all rightful oaths, declarations, assignments, powers of attorney and other papers; to communicate to the ASSIGNEE all facts and provide to the ASSIGNEE all documents and things known and accessible to the undersigned relating to such improvements and the history thereof, and testify as to the same in any interference, litigation or other proceeding relating thereto; and generally to do everything possible which the ASSIGNEE shall consider desirable for vesting title to such improvements in the ASSIGNEE, and to secure, maintain, defend and enforce valid and enforceable patent protection for such improvements;

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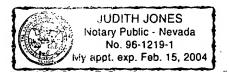
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BEFORE ME, the undersigned authoric personally appeared Michael L. White, personally appeared Michael L.	ally known or prove	n by sati	sfactory documentary
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COUNTY OF CLARK)

BEFORE ME, the undersigned authority, on this day of day o



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STATE OF NEVADA)

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COUNTY OF CLARK)

BEFORE ME, the undersigned authority, on this 13th day of 1 ebuay, 2002, personally appeared Brian A. Johnson, personally known or proven by satisfactory documentary evidence to me to be the person whose name is subscribed to the foregoing instrument and acknowledged to me that he executed the same of his own free will for the purposes and consideration therein expressed.

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BEFORE ME, the undersigned authority, on this 22 Ad day	y of January, 2002,
personally appeared John C. Philipp, personally known or proven	
evidence to me to be the person whose name is subscribed to the fe	
acknowledged to me that he executed the same of his own free wil	I for the purposes and
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ASSIGNORS:

James M. Coleman

Residing at: 3885 Corvallis Drive, Reno, Nevada 89511

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BEFORE ME, the undersigned authority, on this 2nd day of 2002, personally appeared James M. Coleman, personally known or proven by satisfactory documentary evidence to me to be the person whose name is subscribed to the foregoing instrument and acknowledged to me that he executed the same of his own free will for the purposes and consideration therein expressed.

RISHELE L. BOESEN

Notary Public - State of Nevada

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